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LOCAL & PERSONAL.

\$1.00
Buys a box
Of 100 Envelopes
And 200 Notesheets
At The Print Shop. Don't miss it.
Work shirts and overalls cheap at
Jones Bros. 1t.
A nice stock of gas ranges and
stoves at Holloway Bros.
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5 lb. can of Calumet Baking Pow-
der for 98¢ at Jones Bros. 1t.
FOR SALE—Several Big Horses
and 1 pair small work mules. R.
Bless. 12-tf.

Get the price of Gingham, Percale,
etc. Outing at Jones Bros. before
you buy. 1t.

I want your Chickens. Turkeys
and Eggs. We pay more EARL
ATSON'S. 12-tf.

Two good farms for sale or trade.
I'll consider Hondo city property.
Jones Bros. 1t.

For Rent, the John Lebold house
in the east part of town. Apply at
Anvil Herald office.

Mrs. Frank Killough, of Marfa,
spent last week here with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Crabtree.

S. E. Tilton, representing the In-
type Corporation, was a visitor to
Anvil Herald office Tuesday.

NECKWEAR—Silks, Reps, Knits—
every sort that men are wearing.
EINWEBER'S—A Man's Store.

For Headstones and Monuments
see Wm. Newmann, Agent for Nagel
Bros, Fredericksburg, Texas. 36-tf.

Star Cars satisfy customer-de-
mands for quality service. Citizens
Motor Car Co., A. E. Weynard,
prop.

Lieutenant and Mrs. C. D. Eddel-
man of Fort Sam Houston, spent last
week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lou E.
Heath.

Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp and Dr.
and Mrs. H. J. Meyer took in "The
Big Parade" in San Antonio Mon-
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LOST—One white and yellow spot-
ed wolf hound, about nine months
old. Finder please notify C. L. Wer-
ette, Biry, Texas. 3t-pd.

Wanted, at once, a small, well
improved goat and sheep ranch.
Give full description and price to
W. H. Carver, Uvalde, Texas.

Justice of the Peace H. V. Haass
admitted Senior Domingo Ybarra and
Senorita Edwigen Saravia in mar-
riage at the courthouse Friday of
last week.

FOR SALE—Five colonies of bees
in ten-frame, double story hives,
extractor, capping box, knives
and miscellaneous supplies. See Mrs.
J. T. FitzSimon, Castroville, Texas,
price \$75.00 for all.

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Thursday night stopped his corn and
cane planters. During the warm
weather a great deal of corn was
planted, but the change in tempera-
ture turned people's minds from
corn-planting to hog-killing.

L. E. Stockard, the Farm and
Land representative who recently
traveled over Medina County and
made many acquaintances among our
people, died at his home in Waxah-
chie. His body was buried at
Harper in Gillespie County last Sun-
day. This information was gleaned
from the Dallas News, and there was
no statement as to the cause of death.

For the convenience of those who
are required by law to file Federal
Income Tax Returns, a Deputy Col-
lector of Internal Revenue will be
at Hondo, Texas, on February 28,

1927, to assist taxpayers in prepar-
ing their returns. No charge will
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and interest.

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has just been closed between J. P.
Nixon and John Storey, et al., for
100-foot deep test on the Edwards-forma-
tion test on the J. P. Nixon lands,
Survey 119, I. & G. N. This test
is only a short distance west of the
Adams Gas field, and developments
will be watched with a great deal of
interest as there are chances of
striking big production of either oil
or gas.

The Water Bearer Began in August FARMING

Get a copy and read All the story for only 25c.

Electric light globes at Holloway Bros.

All bunch vegetables 5c at Watsons.

Get you a Radio from Holloway Bros.

Get your seed potatoes at Watsons.

Get it at Windrow's Drug Store, Telephone 124.

Shot Gun Shells, per box 65c, at Jones Bros.

Perfection Oil Stove parts and wicks at Jones Bros.

Fruits and candies of all kinds, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. 33-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Lou E. Heath and Mr. H. R. Bailey spent Monday in San Antonio.

Quite a number from here attended
the funeral of Eugene Bohl at Devine Thursday.

Mrs. O. H. Miller and Mrs. L. E. Heath went to San Antonio Wednesday.

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Arnold Reitzer of the Qash Community
broke his right leg just above
the ankle by falling from his horse.
The young man had ridden to the
pasture to get some cattle when his
horse shied and threw him off.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Kimlin, who
spent the past month here visiting
their nephew, Dr. W. H. Smith, and
family, left Friday of last week for
Hollywood, Calif., where they will
spend some time before returning
to their home at Denver, Colorado.

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WILL MAKE DEEP TEST.

Medina County will soon see the
long looked for deep test in the Me-
dina Oil Company shallow field. Ar-
rangements have been completed for
a 3500-foot well, and much interest
will center around the enterprise un-
til the drill has demonstrated whether
or not pay production of deep oil is
to be found within that depth.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON HIGHWAY.

While attempting to pass a truck to Hondo after nightfall the town is a blaze of glory.

Distributed advantageously over the city are 46 street lights of 400-candle power. These lights are of 6.6 ampere series of street lighting system, and equipped with mast arm Luxolite type fixtures. This gives a much better and much more extensive service than the former system.

Mrs. Koerner suffered a fractured skull and her recovery is extremely doubtful. Mr. Kincheloe suffered a badly crushed shoulder and arm.

Judge Koerner's injuries were less serious.

Judge Koerner was formerly a resident of D'Hanis, where he edited the D'Hanis News for a time. Later he moved to Utopia where he and

Mrs. Koerner were married and where he has been the postmaster for several years.

MAD DOG SCARE.

A stray cur created some excitement during the week down in the Muennink neighborhood by biting several dogs, some of them valuable animals.

The stray was killed and its head sent to the Pasteur Institute at Austin, and an examination disclosed that it was suffering from rabies.

Two valuable wolf bounds belonging to Emil Muennink and his brother have been sent to San Antonio for treatment in the hope of preventing the development of the disease.

Mrs. John Finger and daughter, Miss Evelyn, and sons, John and Herman, spent Saturday in San Antonio.

County Attorney D. C. Brown was here from Devine Monday on official business.

Frank Jungman, the cotton buyer, passed through here last week-end enroute from El Paso to Houston.

A. Esser, the insurance man, was over from Castroville yesterday. He reports business in the insurance line flourishing.

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Yours for a successful meeting,

SPECIAL NOTICE.

A Mass Meeting of the business men and citizens of D'Hanis, Texas, is hereby called to convene at the PETER KOCH HALL on MONDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 21st, for the purpose of discussing the installation of an adequate street-lighting system for D'Hanis, Texas.

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Mr. C. J. Blum, the local manager

for the South Texas Public Service

Co., is to be congratulated on com-

pleting the installation in so short

a time and despite such unfavorable

weather.

The people of D'Hanis are inter-

ested in installing street lights in

their town, and elsewhere in this

issue will be found a call for a mass

meeting to consider the matter.

W. W.'S ENTERTAINED.

The W. W. Class of the Methodist

Sunday School met at the home of

Pauline Murray Monday night, Feb.

6th, in its regular business and social

meeting. After the business meet-

ing, a very pleasant social hour was

spent and Mrs. Murray, assisted by

her daughter, served a delicious

salad course with hot chocolate.

Those present were: Mrs. J. G. New-

ton, teacher, Misses Janice Holloway,

Marguerite Newton, Ruth McClaugh-

erty, Irene Schweers, Ethel and Ora

Harilee, Hedwig Leinweber, Janet

Kimmy, Elizabeth Wilson, Marietta

Fly, Leora Horger and the hostess.

SOPHIAN CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Sophian Club will be held at the school

house on Wednesday afternoon,

February 23rd. The study will be

"Cracker and Mountaineer Dialect",

Windrow's Store News



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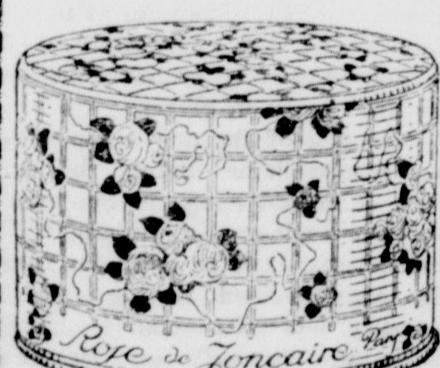
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Prompt finishing.



Talcum! Talcum! All kinds Talcum Powder here, 15c the can and up. Body Powders 50c and up. Come and see our large assortment.

Colgate's Dental Cream in 10c, 25c and 45c Tubes.



Have you tried this New Face Powder, it is a good one. Step in and look over our toilet goods department. New goods arriving all the time. Every thing for Milady's Toilet here.

Blackleg Vaccine. A fresh shipment just in. Get yours today. Use it now.



Sheaffers Desk Sets, Life Time Fountain Pens and Pencils, all kinds here. Other Fountain Pens from \$1.00 up.

Base Ball Gloves from 50c to \$8.50 each.

Base Balls from 10c to \$2.00.

Base Ball Bats from 25c to \$3.00 each.

Let us outfit you for Base Ball, Tennis, Track, Swimming, Fishing. This is Sporting Goods Headquarters.

Try The Drug Store First.

Windrow's

Your Druggist Is More Than A Merchant.
The Nyal Quality Store.

LOCAL AND PERSONALS

Get

The habit—

Read FARMING!

Subscribe for this paper.

W. R. Roult paid this office a business call Monday.

Fritz Helmke was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Get your groceries at the Cash Grocery Co. Phone 84.

The Cash Grocery Co. appreciates your business. Phone 84.

Rev. T. J. Flynn spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Used government riding bridles complete. Hondo Army Store. tf.

Miss Annie Niethenhofer moves up her dates to 1928 this week.

Christian Niethenhofer was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Used government horse collars, sizes 18, 19 and 20. Hondo Army Store.

A. L. Haegelin moved up his dates to Farming and the Anvil Herald Tuesday.

H. F. Wurzbach, the tick inspector, was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

George Heyen, the Quihi stock man, was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Mrs. L. J. Brucks and son, Lawrence, were among the many from here who spent Thursday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. "Toby" Taylor have been enjoying the company of a brand new 12½ pound daughter since Tuesday, Feb. 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bost and two children, of Waelder, have located here. Mr. Bost is the driller at the well on the John Fohn place.

Eggs from Purebred BARRED ROCKS; new stock—some of the best in Texas. \$1.50 for 15 eggs. Mrs. Fletcher Davis, Hondo, Texas.

Mrs. W. A. Schmitt and son, "Micky", accompanied Mrs. Ditmar and mother, of San Antonio, spent Wednesday visiting Misses Louisa and Lena Decker at Vandenberg.

Mrs. H. V. Haass went to San Antonio to be present at the operation on her brother's wife, Mrs. Henry Bendele, Thursday morning at the Santa Rosa hospital. Mrs. Bendele is reported as doing well as we go to press.



Before the Fire

The time to look for an exit is before the fire and the time to check up on your fire insurance is before your property starts burning.

E. A. de Montel will check your insurance with your values now and see that you are properly protected.

E. A. de MONTEL, Agt.

Phone 123, Hotel Armstrong
Hondo, Texas.

STOP, LOOK and LISTEN!

FOR CASH ONLY, WE OFFER

30 x 3 1-2 U. S. Fabric at	-	\$6.95
30 x 3 1-2 U. S. Cord at	-	7.95
30 x 3 1-2 Oversize Goodyear Path.	9.10	
30 x 3 1-2 Royal Cord at	-	9.90
29 x 4:40 U. S. Balloon at	-	10.20
29 x 4:40 Highest Grades	-	12.50

ANY MAKE

C. R. GAINES

The LaCoste High School Girls' basketball team, accompanied by Prof. Ridgeway and a goodly number of rooters, came over Wednesday and played the local girls team a return game of basketball ball. Both sides played hard but Hondo won by a 34 to 8 score. Miss Nora Saathoff, teacher of the Biry school, refereed the game and Miss Octavia Davis was the umpire.

Murray Poultry Farm reports the sale of 5,000 eggs for February to San Antonio and Pearsall hatcheries, prices ranging from 70c to \$1.00 per dozen. This sale proves that it pays to raise good stock. Ordinary market eggs are bringing 25c per dozen. Good breeding eggs are selling for more than three times as much. Farmers think it over.

Why suffer with stomach trouble, kidneys, headaches and other ailments, when chiropractic adjustments can remove the cause and make you well. Lila Bartlett, Chiropractor, Office, Earl Boon's residence. Examination free. tf.

SHOES FOR THE MEN—Snappy styles in high or low last, brown or black calfskin, heavy soles, rubber heels, soft uppers, perforated tips and at prices to keep them going. LEINWEBER'S—The Man's Store

Mrs. Ida B. Ferguson and daughter, Lucille, motored out from San Antonio Sunday to see Miss Inez Ferguson, who is spending some time at the Armstrong Hotel recuperating from a long spell of sickness.

THESE ARE SMART CURLEE SUITS—Well tailored and made to fit, at prices you usually pay for the ordinary sort, we have them in regulars, longs and stouts LEINWEBER'S—The Man's Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis and little daughter, Lucy and Judge Ed. de Montel spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel and Mr. Oscar de Montel at the de Montel ranch.

Mrs. H. H. Heyen returned from Lockhart Saturday to be with her mother, Mrs. Heyo Schweers, while Mrs. A. E. Saathoff returned to her home at D'Hanis.

Miss Anne Davis and her friend, Miss Jack Banner, of Our Lady of the Lake College, spent Sunday here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis.

FOR SALE, 21-acre farm, in fine state of cultivation, no burs or Johnson grass, 3 miles south of Hondo. Price \$900.00. Apply to Sam Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Barnes and little daughters and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murray spent Sunday in Pear-sall as the guest of Mrs. Shaw Barnes.

Misses Bess, Lillian and Josephine Brucks and Octavia Davis were among those who went to San Antonio Saturday to see "The Big Parade."

Get you a Radio from Holloway Bros.

We are in the MARKET

for Hogs and all kinds of Cattle.

Phone us for prices.

Phone 132

L. Barrientes & Sons

We Pay Highest Cash Price for FARM PRODUCTS

Farmers Union Warehouse Co.

Phone 72

You Need Your Local Newspaper; You will enjoy Our home journal; The two together one year for \$2. Electric light globes at Holloway Bros.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Carle visited in San Antonio Wednesday. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Windrow, who spent the night here with Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windrow.

LET US SUPPLY YOUR BATTERY NEEDS. WE SELL THE WELL KNOWN GENUINE PREST-O-LITE GUARANTEED BATTERIES. PHONE 151, CITIZENS MOTOR CAR CO.

Wanted, at once, a small, well improved goat and sheep ranch. Give full description and price to W. H. Carver, Uvalde, Texas.

Mrs. Dr. H. S. Kirby underwent a successful minor operation at the Hondo Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Jagge and Master Clinton were among those who went to San Antonio Thursday.

FOR SALE—110-Egg Incubator, in good condition; price, \$8.00 cash. Mrs. Willie Heyen, Phone 967-F21, Hondo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windrow and children spent Sunday in San Antonio with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fusselman.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler visited in San Antonio Monday and Tuesday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. S. D. McTroy.

LUMBERJACKS, Comfortable, attractive patterns and colors and durable. LEINWEBER'S A Man's Store.

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EAGLE SHIRTS—the sort men select for themselves, patterned shirts, white shirts, or solid color shirts. LEINWEBER'S, A Man's Store.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Haass and daughter, Irene, and Miss Lucille de Montel spent last week-end in San Antonio, going down Saturday to see "The Big Parade."

New lower prices on Star Cars. Before buying a car, see and ride in a Star and convince yourself of its performance, value and low cost. Citizens Motor Car Co., A. E. Weynand, Prop.

Any one finding a female Berkshire pig about 6 weeks old, lost between the Albe-Bilhartz and Raymond Bailey places Tuesday, will please notify P. M. Shoop, telephone 58, and be rewarded. tf.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monkhouse and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Eby were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

HEAR THE HERALDYN RADIO AT GAINES & SON'S BEFORE BUYING.

WE SELL THE HERALDYN RADIO—NONE BETTER. GAINES & SON.

Miss Thelma McIlroy visited here Monday, the guest of Mrs. A. J. Hutzler.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weynand visited in San Antonio Wednesday.

A nice stock of gas ranges and heaters at Holloway Bros.

The Cash Grocery Co. appreciates your business. Phone 84.

Gas Ranges at cost. Jones Bros.

If you do not read

The Water Bearer

In FARMING

You miss a treat;

You won't miss

Its cost

25c

There was a special service

the Boy Scouts at the Hondo Methodist church at 11 o'clock last Saturday morning. The Scouts attended the service in a body, and the Pastor, Rev. W. S. Ezell, preached a very instructive sermon, addressing his remarks mainly to the Scouts.

A. D. Gerdes was a business man

at this office Tuesday and now

forward his dates to both Farming

and the Anvil Herald. Mr. Gerdes said his section is ready for con-

planting and a fine season is in the ground.

F. E. MUELLER

The Store That Satisfies

225 E. Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas

MEN'S CLOTHING

HATS, SHOES and FURNISHINGS

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ED. DE MONTEL - Vice-President
HORACE BRADLEY - Cashier
CHAS. FINGER - Ass't. Cashier

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as second-class matter.

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D. TEXAS, FEB. 19, 1927.

ILSE, "MASTER FARMER."

use was in town Monday

his Kinchelle Prairie farm,

is showing his friends a beauti-

en gold medal which was

presented to him by the

of Dallas as one of the five

winners in that paper's 1926

Farmers' contest.

and Mrs. Ilse returned Thurs-

on Dallas, coming by way of

M. College where they visited

who is a Freshman in the

At Dallas Mr. and Mrs.

with the other winners in

test, were the guests of the

Master Farmer and were royally

receiving.

separating, the fifteen win-

of the Master Farmers Asso-

Texas. Medina County, in

to sharing with Kerr Coun-

distinction of being the only

to have more than one win-

among the 15, won further dis-

by having one of her sons,

C. Wurzbach, of Biomedina

Secretary and Treasurer of

permanent organization. The

officers were: Fred Lowe of

County, President and C. M.

of Comanche County,

President.

Progressive Farmer plans to

this contest a permanent fea-

its business, and will select

new farmers again this year,

winners being barred from

competition.

we give the directions for

the contestants, and any one

to enter can secure further

ation by applying to their

Agent or writing the paper

RECTIONS FOR SCORING.

I Operation of Farm

aintenance of Soil

Fertility 50 points

Manure. If all manure pro-

on the farm is applied as ac-

ated, make no deduction. If

re is piled in the open and

only in the winter, deduct 10

Terracing. If rolling land has

been properly terraced and ter-

properly maintained, deduct

points. If one-fourth of land

terracing deduct 6 1/4 points.

Legumes. If one-fourth of

land is planted in legumes

year, make no deduction. If less

one-fourth, deduct proportion-

If no legumes are grown,

15 points.

Commercial Fertilizer. If

responds to commercial fertil-

and sufficient fertilizer is used

replace plant food removed by

make no deduction. If other

ods of maintaining fertility are

owed, disregard this point.

Crop Rotation 40 points

A good crop rotation must provide

at least 25 per cent of the cul-

ated acres to be planted in legumes

year. Deduct 1 point for each

cent in which the rotation falls

er of this.

Efficient Use and Man

and Horse Labor 25 points

The most efficient farmers crop

proximate the following acreage:

Tex, 35 acres per man, 1

for every 20 acres; Central

50 acres per man, 1 mule for

every 20 acres; West Tex, 90 acres

man, 1 mule for every 20 acres;

uth Tex, 50 acres, 20 acres per

mule. Deduct 1 point for every

cent short of this in each case.

Crop Yields 50 points

If crop yields (5 year average)

one and one-half times the 5

average for the county, make

no deduction. For every bushel of

corn and every 100 pounds of hay

per acre short of this average, de-

duct 1 point. For every 6 pounds

of lint cotton per acre short of this

average, deduct 1 point.

Living at Home 25 points

If no home garden sufficient for

use, deduct 5 points. If no

orchard sufficient for home con-

sumption, deduct 5 points. If no

poultry, deduct 5 points; no dairy

cows or cows, deduct 5 points. If

farmer does not produce his own

work, deduct 5 points. If he produces

a part of each, and not all, deduct

in proportion.

6. Seed 20 points

If seed corn or grain sorghum or

cotton seed are not pure, deduct 5

points. If small grain is not treated

for smut at least every other year,

deduct 5 points.

7. Feed and Care of

Livestock 25 points

On dairy or beef cattle farm,

if no silage or legume hay (or an

insufficient quantity) is produced and fed, deduct 10 points. If grain is not properly supplemented with protein feeds, deduct 10 points. Add 5 points to final score if cattle herd is U. S. accredited. Add 5 points if hogs are kept immunized against cholera.

8. Quality of Livestock 20 points If all sires are purebred and all females productive and high grade, college, give 25 additional points. make no deduction. If all females are purebred, add 10 points to total books and magazines, add 10 points score. Deduct 10 points for each additional grade or scrub sire used.

9. Adequate Tools, Machinery and Equipment well Housed and in Good Repair 15 points If equipment is inadequate, poorly housed, or in poor repair, deduct accordingly.

10. Large and Uniformed- Sized Fields 15 points Uniform sized fields are a great advantage in maintaining a regular crop rotation. Score in proportion as the fields approach this ideal.

11. Convenient Farmstead Arrangement 15 points Ideal arrangement is often impossible on account of the way buildings were located by previous owners. In scoring under this heading, consider not only present arrangement, but also definite plans for future.

II. Business Methods and Ability.

1. Relation of Income to Expenses 100 points If operating and living expenses, including interest and taxes, exceed income for an average of three years, make full deduction. If income is equal to or exceeds expenses with sufficient surplus to pay 6 per cent on conservative value of land, make no deduction.

2. Accounting Methods 50 points If a complete account of farm income and expenses is kept and balanced and carefully analyzed once a year, give full score. If an inventory is taken once a year and a statement of net worth is prepared, give 20 points additional.

3. Business Reputation 50 points If bills are promptly paid, and if reputation for honesty and square dealing is good, give full score. If not, deduct accordingly.

III. General Farm Appearance and Upkeep.

1. Repair and Upkeep of Buildings 25 points Buildings should be kept painted and in good repair.

2. Condition of Fields 20 points Fields and fence rows should be free from weeds, stumps, etc. If they fall short of this standard, deduct accordingly.

3. Maintenance of Fences, Ditches and Rows 15 points Deduct for rotten fence posts, broken wires, gates in poor repair, ditches clogged with rubbish and roads along farm containing holes.

4. Freedom from Weeds and Rubbish 15 points Lots and yards should be neat and free from weeds and rubbish. If not, deduct accordingly.

IV. Home Life.

1. Convenient House 50 points Do not score on size or cost of farm home, but only on its convenience and adaptability as a home.

2. Labor Saving Equipment in the House 50 points If no water system, deduct 10 points. If no light system, deduct 10 points.

3. Character as a Husband and Father 100 points This must necessarily be a matter of judgment rather than mathematics. A man who is a companion to his children, taking a deep interest in their training and recreation and in their problems, and who is a real companion to his wife, should

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEB. 18, 1927.

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

By oversight, we failed to mention tonio Sunday afternoon after a two in our last week's letter, that the week's stay for medical treatment infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard We are glad to state that he is Wernette was christened at St. Louis fast convalescing.

Church on Sunday, Feb. 5, Rev. Hy. W. Fuos, lately of San An-

Father Heckman officiating. The tonio, visited homefolks in our midst

sponsors were John W. Hans and Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Tschirhart. The name Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Etter and little

given the little man was Leonard daughter, also of San Antonio, spent

Edward.

Babies born during the past week are, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schott,

a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Riff,

a daughter, both of Bader Settle-

ment, and to Mr. and Mrs. Julius

Jungman at this place, a son.

Ed Balmos of Devine was a Cas-

troville business visitor last Tuesday

Chas. Etter of Sauz was at Hondo

Monday on business bound.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gerloff, mov-

ing mid Wednesday on business bound. the river Monday.

Alfred Bader and Harvey Frerichs

Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel

of Hondo were Castroville visitors had as their guests last Saturday and

Sunday, Miss Mollie and Mr. Ralph

Monier from here and Miss Wilhel-

mina Biediger from Spindletop.

last Thursday.

Edmund Wurzbach from Cliff was a business visitor here last Saturday. While here he also paid this office an appreciated call.

J. M. Mechler from the Sauz sold and delivered an Emerson-Brantingham 15-25 tractor to Louis Mehr at Bader Settlement.

J. M. Mechler and sons from the Sauz loaded an Emerson-Brantingham tractor here Tuesday, which they delivered to Louis Mehr at Bader Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mangold and James Kroeger of San Antonio were visiting relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reicher- zer and family in San Antonio Sun-

day.

Julius R. Tondre from the firm of L. M. Tondre & Sons at Castroville was a business visitor here Wednes-

day.

The following were guests at the Droitcourt-Hanna wedding, Mrs. J. C. Trip and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Trip and family of Macdona, Mrs. Pete Kirby and baby of Atascosa, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ahr and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. O. Droitcourt and daughters, Misses Annetta and Myrtle, and Francis Monier from here and Miss Wilhel-

mina Biediger from Spindletop.

DEEDS RECORDED

B. C. Wiemers and wife to Otto J. Wiemers, warranty deed to 42 acres of land out of Survey No. 82, being the N. E. part of 320 acres out of said survey. Consideration \$1100.00.

P. S. Ward to Lucian S. Ward, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 543½ acres of land out of Surveys Nos. 758 and 3½ acres of the above being an undivided one-half interest in a seven acre tract of said Survey 758. Consideration, \$10,870.

Frank H. Schweers and wife to Mrs. Margaret Schweers, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 6 and 7 in Block 29, in the town of Hondo. Consideration, \$2,000.00.

Frank Keller to Western Gas & Fuel Company, warranty deed to Lot No. 6 in Block No. 41, in the town of LaCoste. Consideration, \$150.00.

Mathias Koch, Jr., to Peter Koch Jr., warranty deed to a part and parcel of land out of Survey No. 441, patented to D. G. Burnett, lying about ½ mile south of the town of D' Hanis, it being the south half of a twelve acre tract. Consideration, \$10.00 and other valuable con-

siderations.

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A. W. Emig, warranty deed to Lot No. 3, in Block No. 17, in Williams Park Subdivision No. 1, out of the west one-half of the David Harvey Survey No. 20. Consideration, \$200.

Geo. Ford and wife to Garland J. Martin, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 9 and 10, in Block No. 7, in the Simon Mayer Addition to the town of Hondo. Consideration, \$225.00.

J. W. Heath and wife to Earl Starnes, warranty deed to part of Block No. 73. Consideration, \$10.00 and other valuable considerations.

Louis Schlentz and wife to Barnitz Carle, warranty deed to Lot No. 9, in Block Letter "C" of the Fly Addi-

tion to the town of Hondo. Con-

siderations.

Medlake Development Company to A. W. Emig, warranty deed to Lot No. 3, in Block No. 17, in Williams Park Subdivision No. 1, out of the west one-half of the David Harvey Survey No. 20. Consideration, \$200.

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sideration, \$3,000.00.

Medlake Development Co. to Mrs. Frank J. Felder, warranty deed to Lot No. 5, in Block No. 16, in the Williams Park Subdivision. Consideration, \$200.00.

Paul Reinhart and wife to Western Gas & Fuel Co., warranty deed to a lot or parcel of land 25 feet in width and 50 feet in depth out of Survey No. 441, in the name of David G. Burnett. Consideration \$1.00 and other valuable considerations.

Luebbe Boehle and wife to Alfred Boehle, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 74½ acres of land out of Survey No. 23, in the name of James Allison. Consideration, \$2800.00.

Ajax Tire Co. Inc. to L. D. Ormsby, warranty deed to Lot No. 16, in F. P. Seekatz subdivision, out of the Dave Harvey Survey, containing 1 acre of land. Consideration, \$10.00.

Buron P. Dow and wife to G. M. Sanchez, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 11 and 12, in Block 5, known as the Haddox Addition to the town of Devine, out of Survey No. 15. Consideration, \$10.00 and other considerations.

Trustees of San Antonio Trust to C. F. Dort, warranty deed to 15 36-100 acres of A. Campbell Survey No. 447, and 7 64-100 acres of Wm. E. Jones Survey No. 37, and being the West 23 acres of Lot 7A, Block No. 9, of the subdivision of lands held by the Trustees of the San Antonio Trust. Consideration, \$4,025.00, paid and secured to be paid.

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A PLANTING SEASON.

The vicinity of Hondo has had no heavy rains for several months, but according to Judge H. E. Haass, the Government Weather Observer at this place, there were seven rainy days out of the first eleven days of February, as follows:

1	.15
5	.36
6	.55
9	.82
9	.07
10	.06
11	.05

While the precipitation was not heavy at any one time, the total was 2.09 inches and, as it all soaked into the ground, land that was prepared before the rains are well supplied with moisture, and planting time finds it in ideal condition.

The planting season is at hand and the next few months will find the farms busy places.

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BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

A pleasant surprise party was given in honor of Miss Henrietta Mussmann, Sunday night Feb. 13. Those present were as follows: Mr. F. Mussmann, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Krenmueller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Krenmueller and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Posch, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moebius, Mrs. Jack Karm, Mrs. Josephine Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. John Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Burell and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Weber and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neumann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartung and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Moebius and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Karm and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wernette and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Biediger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Heath and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Britten and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Mann and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Mann and family, Mrs. Albert Bihartz and family, Mrs. John E. Neumann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elas. Muennink, Mr. and Mrs. K. Scharf, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Breiten and baby, Misses Fern and Lorine Mann, Henrietta Mussmann, Ella Weber, Pauline Krenmueller, Eunice Heath, Ida Senne, Eva Bell Bihartz, Emelia and Minnie Neumann, Ella and Lucille Bader, Thelma Brieden, Nora Muennink, Miss Love and Miss Guea; Misses Herbert and Alfred Saathoff, Rudolph Krenmueller, Herbert Mussmann, Malcolm Heath, John Martin, Louis Senne, Ernest Schneider, Ed Boehle, Henry Winkler, Elmer Burrell, Ralph Bader, Ed. Faseler, Tommie, Robert, Alfred and Alvin Neumann, Aaron Bihartz, Louis Gaea, Clarence Wernette, C. A. Henon, Carl Senne, and several others whose names we failed to get.

At 12 o'clock cake and coffee were served. Dancing kept up until 1 o'clock when "Home Sweet Home" was played and every one departed many, many more happy returns. In their home, wishing Henrietta "BLUE EYES".

CLOSING NOTICE.

We the undersigned hereby agree to close our places of business for the following holidays during the year 1927.

Geo. Washington's Birthday, Feb. 2nd.

San Jacinto Day, April 21st.

Independence Day, July 4th.

Armistice Day, Nov. 11th.

Thanksgiving Day, Nov. —.

Christmas Day, Dec. 25th.

New Years Day, Jan. 1st.

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JACOSTE LEDGERETS

From The LaCoste Ledger.

F. L. Williams et al. will spud in the No. 2 Fohn in Medina County in survey 115, probably Wednesday of this week.

J. A. Swayze is down about 100 feet in his No. 1 Oefinger in Medina County.

Alamo Drilling and Leasing Company in western Medina started taking a core Monday in the No. 1 Kenedy at a little below 1,100 feet. It was intended to core early last week but repairs necessary on the rig delayed. There was a showing of oil at the present depth and the core will be taken to ascertain whether it is worth a test.

Witherspoon is in the top of the Edwards lime at 2,250 in the No. 1 Redus, and the formation is very tight and lacking in porosity and with no showing of oil or water.

The Inn Oil Company has abandoned its No. 1 Finger at 1,650 feet in Medina County on Survey 746.

Witherspoon has set casing at 926 in his No. 2 Franklin and Western Gas and Fuel Company and C. E. Lange at about 900 in their No. 2 Adams. Both wells will probably be in by the middle or the last of the week. Both are in the eastern part of the Adams gas field in Medina County.

Switzer in Medina County is drilling at about 2,560 feet in the No. 1 Zerr Northwest of Hondo.

R. R. Lewis at 2,212 feet was in the Del Rio Saturday in the No. 1 Keller in Medina County a little east of the Adams gas field.—San Antonio Express.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS SEVEN GASSERS ADD 179,700,00 FEET.

There were seven gas wells completed in Southwest Texas during the past week, with an estimated production of 179,700,000 cubic feet of gas the first day. Reports for the State of Texas as a whole, including the fields of Kansas and Oklahoma, give the total completed 16, with a production of 141,000,000 feet, and as Southwest Texas alone completed over that amount, there must be a discrepancy somewhere. Of the total two were completed in the Adams gas field in Medina, the No. 4 Adams of the Western Gas and Fuel Company making 36,700,000 feet and the No. 2 Adams of Medina making 4,000,000 feet. In the Mirando territory five gassers were completed, with a combined production of 139,000,000 feet.—San Antonio Express.

Commissioners Court was in session a while the first of the week.

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tonio Wednesday.

Mesdames Fest and Trawalter and daughter, Miss Theresa and Simon Eagle of San Antonio were visiting here and at Castroville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto P. Jungman and daughter, Hazel, and Mesdames Catherine and Theresa Jungman were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bohl at Devine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Trip and children from Maedona spent a pleasant evening with R. J. Mangold and family here one day last week.

C. S. Hellums returned Sunday from a several days business and pleasure trip down in the Valley. He reports everything humming down there.

Quite a number of people and many of the High School girls of St. Mary's School were in San Antonio Thursday to attend the ordination of Arch-Bishop A. J. Drosaerts.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Topperwein and family from Knippa were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Alexander here.

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last week-end. Mrs. Toepperwein remained here on a several days visit.

Leo Zinsmeyer left here Sunday for his home in Divot, after a several months stay here. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Eug. J. Keller and son, Eug. J. Jr., who are spending the week with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jungman were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burell and children above Castroville Sunday. They were accompanied home by Ellen Marie and Mabel Burell who will spend a few days here.

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30c Del Monte Fruits for Salad	25c	½ pound Hershey Cocoa	16c
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Shot gun shells, black powder	65c	10 inch Middle Buster	\$4.20
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WANTS TON LITTER CONTESTANTS.

County Agent J. P. Forgason wants Medina County farmers to compete in the 1927 Ton Litter Contest. The contest this year is being sponsored by the Progressive Farmer of Dallas, Texas, in co-operation with the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association, Texas Safe Farming Association and the Extension Service of the A. & M. College.

Following are the Rules of Contest and Premium Awards:

1. Any hog owner residing in Texas is eligible to enroll in the contest.

2. Litters must be farrowed between February 1 and May 25, to be eligible.

3. Hogs of any kind of breeding are eligible—they may be purebred, grade or scrub.

4. Contestants must notify their county agent or The Progressive Farmer at Dallas, or E. R. Eudaly at College Station, within 30 days after pigs are farrowed.

5. Contestants must make nominations on cards provided for the purpose. These cards may be obtained from your county agent, The Progressive Farmer, or E. R. Eudaly.

6. Pigs raised on nurse sow, or hand-fed are not eligible to compete for prizes.

7. Contestants are requested to keep a memorandum of the rations fed the sow during gestation period, and while sucking pigs; also feed the pigs from beginning to end of contest.

8. Litters may be weighed the day they are 150 days old or any time between 150 days and 180 days after farrowing. Litters with seven pigs or less must go the full period of 180 days. Awards will be made on the basis of actual weight above the required weight for age.

9. The required weight for age is based upon the following scale:

Age, 180 days, required weight 2,000 pounds for all but 7-pig and smaller litters, which shall be 1,750 pounds. Age, 165 days, required weight, 1,700 pounds. Age, 150 days, required weight, 1,425 pounds.

Between the age of 150 days and 165 days, the required weight will be increased 18-13 pounds for each day above 150 days; between 165 days and 180 days, the required weight will be increased 20 pounds per day for each day above 165 days; for each day after 180 days, the required weight will be increased 21½ pounds per day.

10. A certified report of the final weight of the litter must be made by the person supervising the weighing on cards provided for that purpose and forwarded to either The Progressive Farmer or E. R. Eudaly.

11. The money premiums will be divided as follows:

Heaviest litter of 7 pigs or less \$ 35.00

Heaviest litter of 8 pigs 40.00

Heaviest litter of 9 pigs 45.00

Heaviest litter of 10 pigs 50.00

Heaviest litter of 11 pigs 55.00

Heaviest litter of 12 pigs 60.00

Litter with highest weight regardless of number of pigs 100.00

Litter with second highest weight, regardless of number of pigs 50.00

Boys and girls only, between ages of 12 and 18 years—litter with highest weight 50.00

(Boys and girls may compete in other classes as well as their own special class.)

Fifty dollars will be given to the county agent or any other supervisor or leader turning in the greatest number of finished records on ton litters, making a ton or the equivalent of a ton, if weighed before 180 days.

12. The premiums will be awarded on the basis of the margin of weight above the required weight for age.

In connection with the above, it might be added that Medina County

is splendidly adapted to the raising of hogs. But the drought of 1925 almost exterminated the hog population of the county. It is to be hoped that this contest will awaken a new interest in this important branch of farming, and that Medina County will become an exporter rather than an importer of pork products.

D'HANIS NEWSLETS

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our Regular Correspondent

Miss Thelma Langfeld

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Langfeld is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Britsch of Houston were the guests of Mr. Ferdie Koch and family Sunday.

The sad news reached here Wednesday evening that Mr. Eug. Bohl, Sr., of Devine had died at his home Wednesday after being sick for a long time.

Mesdames Ferdie Koch, William Holiday and children and Mr. P. M. Koch, Sr., were Devine visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. P. M. Koch, Sr., and son, Phil, were the guests of Paul Koch and family at LaCoste Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Knippa Honored.

On February 10, Misses Agnes Rothe and Thelma Langfeld entertained Mrs. Martin Knippa, of Knippa, with a kitchen and china shower, at the home of Mrs. H. A. Biry.

The room was beautifully decorated in red hearts and a color scheme of red and white was carried throughout the occasion.

Much excitement and merriment was caused over several games of "Old Maid". Miss Marcella Ney held high score.

Another feature of the afternoon was tearing pictures to the likeness of an old maid. Miss Lucy Rothe was the winner of this contest.

After a plate lunch was served, the honoree received a package consisting of all the necessary utensils for dish washing. After she had put on her apron tubfuls of wrapped up bundles were brought to her to wash. When she began to unwrap them, Mrs. Knippa found them to be beautiful gifts instead.

Those present were Mesdames Martin Knippa, Louis Carle, Sr., Arnold Finger, Jno. Rieber, Louis Carle, Jr., Reily Carle, Will Brown, John Nester, Henry Rothe, H. A. Biry; Misses Cora Finger, Marie Koch, Irene Finger, Lucy Rothe, Gertrude Albrecht, Pauline Zerr, Carrie Langfeld, Marcella Ney and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rieber were visiting at Knippa Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Reinhart returned home one day last week after several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Mueller, at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Knippa of Knippa were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carle, Sr., Sunday.

Mrs. Jno. Zinsmeyer was a visitor at San Antonio Tuesday.

Miss Eunice Langfeld of San Antonio spent the week-end at home with Mrs. Lena Langfeld.

Mrs. Ernest Mueller and son, Joe, were San Antonio visitors last Thursday.

Miss Cornelia Koch was visiting her father, Mr. Joe Koch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Antone Wataski and

son of San Antonio spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vogel.

Mrs. Ferdie Koch and Mrs. William Holiday and Mr. P. M. Koch were Devine visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Finger and son, Edward, and Mesdames Mary Garrester and Wm. Finger were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mrs. Anna Rimkus is visiting in San Antonio for several days.

IN RE GUARDIANSHIP OF WILLIAM HUTZLER, NON COMPOS MENTIS, NO. 1076, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS.

Notice is hereby given that J. J. Walter, as Guardian of the estate of William Hutzler, a non compos mentis, has, on to-wit: the 11th day of February A. D. 1927, filed in the County Court of Medina County, Texas an application for an order and authority to execute an oil and gas lease upon all of the undivided one-fourth interest and all of the interest of his ward in the following described tract and parcel of land lying and being situated in Medina County, Texas, to-wit:

102½ acres, more or less, being part of the Joseph Hillenmeyer Sur.

No. 26, about 15 miles south, 10

west of the town of Castroville, Dis-

trict No. 2, Cert. 345, issued by Com-

missioner of Castro's Colony, Sep-

tember 8th, 1851, described in a par-

tition deed between the heirs at law of

Martin and Barbara Hutzler, de-

ceased, dated July 18th, 1925, and

being the North half of a certain

205 acre tract out of said survey,

the interest of said ward in said

tract of land being an undivided one-

fourth, the other interest being own-

ed by the other grantees named in

said partition deed to which refer-

ence is here made.

That said application to lease said

land will be heard before the Honorable

R. J. Noonan, County Judge of

said county, at his office in the

County Court House of said county

at Hondo, Texas, at Ten o'clock A.

M February 28, A. D. 1927.

J. J. WALTER,

Guardian of the estate of

William Hutzler a non compos

mentis.

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QUIHI NOTES.

Sunday morning and night, divine

services will be held in Bethlehem

Lutheran church. At 10:30 o'clock

in the morning the service will be

in the German tongue and at 7

o'clock P. M. in the English. All are

cordially invited to all services in this

church.

Sunday school and Bible class be-

gin at 9:30 A. M. in the Lutheran

church. This Sunday school is open

to all—old and young—and offers

something good to all. Come and

let us do thee good.

Last Sunday night the Quihi

Luther League rendered a splendid

literary-musical program in Bethle-

hem Lutheran church to a large and

appreciative audience. While the ef-

ficacy of Mrs. Henry Schuehl-

made the church organ speak, all

who were on the program for musi-

cal selections or for readings, etc.,

acquitted themselves well. The

church choir selections were fine and

touched responsive chords in the

hearts of many hearers, while the

select readings and a timely declama-

tion planted some good seed-grains

for thought and action. The com-

mittee for programs announce a fine

program for March 20th.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

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"Mother may I go out to

flirt?"

"Yes, my darling Jen;

Stay out 'till midnight

"if you like,

But don't go near the

men."

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GRAND DANCE

FRIDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 25th,